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**PATENT**

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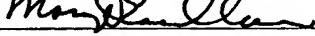
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Title: METHODS AND APPARATUS  
FOR IMPLEMENTING VIRTUALIZATION  
OF STORAGE WITHIN A STORAGE AREA  
NETWORK THROUGH A VIRTUAL  
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In response to the Office Action dated October 04, 2005, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments begin on page 2 of this amendment.

Remarks begin on page 17 of this amendment.